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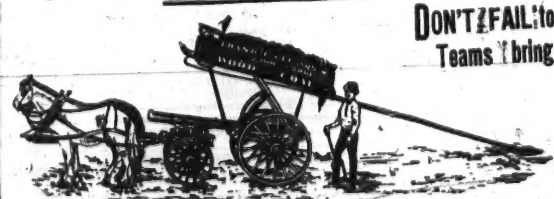
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### LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

George Greenwood is temporarily employed at O. P. Chase's.

Edward M. Allen is able to be out after a short illness.

O. P. Chase has gone on a several days' fishing trip to Moose lake, Hartland, Me.

The annual spring track meet will be held at Phillips academy tomorrow afternoon.

A full attendance is desired at the meeting of the Royal Arcanum tonight. A collation will be served.

Barnett Rogers acted as auctioneer at several real estate auctions in Ballardvale and Lawrence last Saturday.

Charles W. Richardson of this place married Miss Agnes McIntire of Ballardvale last Wednesday evening.

Bernard M. Allen underwent an operation for appendicitis in a Boston hospital, the part of the week.

A regular meeting of the Andover club was held, Wednesday evening and lunch was served by Caterer Rhodes.

The horse attached to the Public Market delivery wagon, ran away Wednesday afternoon without doing any serious damage.

A private "hurdy gurdy" party will be held in Pilgrim hall on Thursday evening, May 15, by George McKenzie and John Ryley.

A fancy rough stone top is being added to the wall at the residence of Mrs. Esther Byers, corner of School and Central streets.

Mrs. A. M. Brown, modiste, of Lawrence, will remove to 82 Elm street, and will be pleased to see her friends and patrons after May 15.

The annual Means prize speaking will be held at Phillips Academy, Friday evening, May 16, at 7.45 o'clock. The boys have been receiving careful training under Binnie Gunnison.

A play "Among the Breakers" with a good cast will be given in the Grange hall, West Parish, next Thursday evening, for the benefit of the choral union of the West church.

A break in a water pipe on Park street near the engine house, part of the old system from Rabbitt pond, was discovered the first part of the week and was repaired before any damage resulted.

D. D. G. M., F. M. Smith and suite of Andover lodge, No. 230, I. O. O. F., visited Hope lodge of Methuen last Monday night when that lodge entertained East Lynn lodge of Lynn. The members report a splendid time.

The Ladies Home Missionary society of the Andover Seminary church will hold their next meeting on Tuesday afternoon, May thirteenth, at 3 o'clock in Bartlett chapel, subject, "The latest news from Home Mission Fields."

The Home Missionary department of the Ladies' Union will meet in the South Church lecture room Thursday, May 15, at 3 p. m. Mrs. Vaitse will speak of the work in which she is engaged among the Greeks in Lowell.

The Park street stables are showing more splendid trades this week in all kinds of harness and several extra fine bargains in light carriages of different pattern. Two of the particularly "good things" still unsold are second hand democrat wagons.

Barnett Rogers will be the auctioneer at the sale of the late Albert Poor place on Chestnut street, tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. The house has all modern improvements, is desirably located and stands on a fine lot of land so that the place will make an excellent home for somebody.

John Adams, who drives a depot carriage, was operated upon by Dr. Souder of the Massachusetts General hospital, Boston, at Dr. Torrey's office, the first part of the week, and a cancer and portion of one rib removed. At present he is resting as comfortably as could be expected, at his home on Barnard street.

Rapid progress is being made on the construction of the K. O. A. club on School street which will be by far the most elaborate fraternity house in town. Constructed of brick, three stories in height with simple but effective ornamentation on the outside, it will have a solid but rich aspect and will add to the appearance of the street.

The following teams will represent the Andover cricket club Saturday: 1st team to play the Buntings at Wigginton-Rhodes, capt., Bruce, McDermitt, Ritchie, McGlynn, Soutar, Coutta, Wallace, H. Kydd, W. Lindsay, J. Ridings; 1st reserve, Hilton; 2nd team to play Methuen 2nd in Andover - Callum, Black, A. Haddon, Munroe, Poland, W. Coutts, W. Valentine, H. Callum, Fairlie, Ross, D. Falconer. At a meeting of the club last Tuesday night, nine new members were admitted.

Professor Angelo Hellprin comes tomorrow to lecture at Abbot Academy hall, as previously announced, at 2.30 p. m., on "The Problems of the Two Poles." The lecture will be illustrated by views of his own making and selection. It is hardly necessary to reiterate that Professor Hellprin is eminent for his explorations and writings and that his lectures are very largely attended by scientific men as well as fascinating in interest to the ordinary layman. The ticket price, as usual, 35 cents.

Prof. Warren K. Moorehead has been called to Washington.

Mrs. L. H. Eames and Mrs. Charles H. Eames have gone to Washington, D. C., for a short trip.

Miss Marcia Richards has taken Miss Comstock's place as special teacher during the remainder of the year.

Dr. E. C. Conroy has been elected an honorary member of Co. L., 8th Regiment, M. V. M., Lawrence.

Members of St. Matthews lodge, A. F. & A. M., visited Saggahew lodge, Haverhill, last Monday evening.

William Piddington, who has been seriously ill, has sufficiently recovered so that he is able to be out of doors again.

John H. Matthews of Worcester, a former L. L. & H., railroad man, has been visiting relatives in town this week.

B. F. Smith, Jr., has gone west on a several weeks' business trip for the Boston house with which he is connected.

Henry A. Bodwell of this place, was elected lieutenant at the annual meeting of the Lawrence Canoe club last Monday evening.

Druggists' licenses of the 6th class have been granted to W. A. Allen, Arthur Davis, Albert W. Lowe and C. H. Shattuck.

Several young gentlemen from Andover attended a private dancing class reception at Stevens' hall, North Andover, last Friday evening.

The benefit recital for the Punched basket ball team to be given in Punched hall, next Friday night, should have a large attendance.

Harold Thomas, a cousin of Fred A. Swanton, the well-known milk dealer, has accepted the position of book-keeper for Smith & Manning, recently left vacant.

The Punched Free school nine went to Reading Saturday intending to play Reading high, but found that another team had a game scheduled with Reading for that date.

The contract for plumbing, heating and gas piping the double apartment house of Miss Helen Doherty being erected on Pearson street, has been awarded to George Saunders.

The Andover Savings bank has been awarded the \$25,000 3-1/2 per cent water loan bonds, 1 to 25 years, on a bid of 108.07. There were 19 other bidders and the bids were opened yesterday.

Prof. W. K. Moorehead, curator of the archaeological department at Phillips academy, has discovered what he thinks is the remains of an old Indian fort or settlers' stockade at Hillholm, on the land of Charles L. Carter.

Shawheen lodge, D. of H., will observe its 4th anniversary in A. O. U. W. hall this evening, by a supper, entertainment and dance. The committee of arrangements consists of Mrs. Laine, Mrs. Batty, Mrs. Jowett, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Long, Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Gar-side.

Don't buy your bedding plants without looking at the stock to be found at the Morton street greenhouse. Some very desirable plants are shown, and the stock is all well grown and in just the right condition for planting.

W. H. Gile, treasurer of the Andover Golf club, wishes it stated that the executive committee of the club is anxious to fix up the grounds around the Club house and suggests that the money subscribed for the building fund could be put to excellent use if it might be paid in at an early date.

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M. M. Austin, a civil war veteran, of Winchester, Ind., writes: "My wife was sick a long time in spite of good doctor's treatment, but was wholly cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills, which worked wonders for her health." They always do. Try them. Only 25c at Bliss's drug store.

### Golf Club Teas.

There will be a "Tea" at the Golf Club House, Saturday afternoons, May tenth and twenty-fourth from four to six. All members are cordially invited.

An account of the last Abbot recital will be given in next week's issue.

Somebody stole some recently planted quince trees at Walter H. Coleman's the other night.

Work will be begun before long on the Andover end of the Haverhill & Andover road.

Norman Willard, who was employed by the town about a year ago in the engineering department, has returned to Andover after a winter in Tampa, Florida. At present he is with L. N. Farnham.

The local engine company elected officers for the ensuing year last Wednesday evening, as follows: W. I. Morse, captain; G. A. Morse, 1st lieutenant; C. S. Buchan, 2d lieutenant; G. C. Dunnell, clerk; F. M. Smith, F. E. Morse, A. Klaser, standing committee.

Supt. Coleman of the Andover Electric Light company desires that attention be called to the fact that a reward is offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of persons breaking electric arc light globes. A number have been broken lately.

The orator for Memorial day will be Stephen F. Keyes of Post 7, Boston, judge advocate on the staff of Peter D. Smith when the latter was department commander of the Mass. G. A. R. Mr. Keyes was appointed district commander before the G. A. R. was formed and on its formation was chosen a member of the first council of administration. He saw service in 2d Mass. Vol. Regt. during the Civil war, taking part in the charge of his regiment in conjunction with the 7th Indiana at the battle of Gettysburg.

Elizabeth Malone, the 10 year old daughter of Morris Malone of 7 Pearson street, caused her parents a good deal of uneasiness yesterday afternoon by not returning from school after the close at 3.30 o'clock. She is in Miss Richards' room and got out of school with the other children. When she did not return by supper time, her parents became alarmed and informed Chief Frye who started out searching for her. From some of her schoolmates it was learned that they thought they had seen her start down Central street. Investigation in the direction of Ballardvale brought no clue to her whereabouts, however. About 9.15 o'clock, she returned home accompanied by the children of Norman Myatt, Highland road. The Myatt child said they had heard that the child's parents were alarmed so brought Elizabeth home. She had been gathering flowers in the vicinity of their home, and, according to her story, she had torn her frock and did not like to go home.

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## COUNTY NEWS.

The Salem police are after smugglers. Co. C of the English high school, Lynn, won the prize drill Friday evening.

Haverhill citizens are signing petitions to get the United Shoe Machinery Co. to locate there.

The Crombie street church of Salem, has been observing the 70th anniversary of its organization.

All but two of the Lynn ice companies have given options to the American Ice Company and will combine.

Charles S. Bates a Beverly shoe manufacturer, has made up his mind to remove his establishment to Lynn.

John Healey of Lynn fell from his team on Lynn marshes, Saturday afternoon, and the wheels passed over his body, causing instant death.

Salem's two smallpox victims are recovering and are getting along very favorably.

J. J. Merrill has been re-appointed superintendent of the fire alarm system at Newburyport.

H. E. Carlisle was kicked in the stomach by his horse at Salisbury, Monday, and severely injured.

Andrew Emerson, driver of the chief's team, Lynn fire department, died at Lynn, Tuesday, after a long illness.

Up to Monday, five days of no license in Newburyport, not an arrest had been made for drunkenness.

Building laborers in Lynn struck for higher wages Monday, but the employers claim they will not grant the increase.

"The Ironclad" was raided by Gloucester officers Saturday night and the inmates of the house taken into custody.

Victor Haggerty of Haverhill tried to commit suicide Saturday night. He also jumped into the Merrimack river, but was rescued. He is insane.

The schooner Marsala arrived at Gloucester Saturday night with the crew of the Canaria aboard. The latter boat was wrecked in a collision with the former.

The strike of the common laborers in the city of New York, has been called off.

The mayor of Salem will have the opportunity to appoint a license commissioner on June 1st. It is thought by some that he will name a representative of the French voters.

Thirty-five steamfitters employed in the 13 Lynn shops went on strike Tuesday because the employers refused to grant the demand of the union, which provides for a minimum scale of \$3 per day.

The quarry workers of Gloucester have refused the offer of compromise made by the Federation of Labor. The members claim they were caught that way once, and decline to be so used again.

Arthur W. White of Lynn was sentenced to three months, Monday, for the larceny of 30 cents. He had been going about the city begging, and getting an opportunity, took a woman's pocketbook containing the amount stated.

Victor Haggerty of Haverhill, aged 20 years, attempted suicide Saturday evening by jumping into the river. He was seen by people in a nearby office, and rescued. He was evidently suffering from temporary insanity.

Among the certificates of incorporation filed at the office of the secretary of the commonwealth, last week, was Newell & Knowlton, Incorporated, leather, Peabody; capital \$20,000; Frank F. Newell, president; Jesse F. Knowlton, treasurer.

Judge Lowell in the United States district court at Boston Tuesday, authorized George S. Hampton, receiver of the South Danvers National bank, to accept an offer of \$8000, made by John W. Dickinson, president of the Alabama Kaolin company, for certain notes, stocks and bonds of the company which the bank holds.

Mrs. Abigail Ann Cutler Chase of Salem has been observing her 90th birthday. She has six children, the oldest is 70 years of age. Beside these six children, Mrs. Chase has living at the present time, six grandchildren, 19 great grandchildren, and one great-grandchild, making five generations alive.

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## TROLLEY LEAGUE.

Stoneham 8; Andover 3.

Stoneham opened the championship season on the Pomeworth street grounds at Stoneham, Saturday afternoon, defeating Andover of the suburban trolley league 8 to 3, in a fast game. Briggs allowed six hits one of which was a scratch. His support was also excellent, and difficult catches were made by Lawson, Webb and Lewis.

Andover lost the game by Wheatley's inability to hold Pomeroy with men on bases, having six passed balls, which with three hits, two bases on balls and one error in the first three innings, netted Stoneham six runs. Pomeroy pitched well for Andover, and the visitors steadily down after the third inning and played a fast game.

The score:

STONEHAM.					
Lewis rf.	1	1	0	0	
Webb 3b.	2	1	4	0	
McCall ss.	1	1	1	1	
Jellerson 2b.	2	4	1	0	
Twombly 1b.	1	9	0	1	
Lawson lf.	1	1	0	0	
Martin cf.	0	0	0	0	
Turner c.	1	10	1	0	
Briggs p.	0	0	3	0	
Totals	9	27	10	2	

ANDOVER.

ANDOVER.					
Knipes lf.	1	0	0	0	
Maloney s. c.	1	7	2	0	
Mander 1b.	0	3	3	1	
Morrissey cf.	1	0	0	0	
Sweeney 1b.	0	10	1	0	
Cullinan 3b.	1	1	0	1	
Wheatley c. ss.	2	1	1	2	
Harrison rf.	0	1	0	0	
Pomeroy p.	0	0	3	1	
Totals	6	24	10	5	

Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Stoneham 2 1 3 0 0 1 1 — 8

Andover 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 — 3

Runs made, by Lewis, Webb 2, McCall 2, Jellerson 2, Martin, Knipes, Cullinan, Wheatley. Two-base hits, Jellerson, Maloney. Three-base hit, Lawson. Stolen bases, Lewis 2, Webb, Jellerson.

Umpire, Wheatley 2, r. n. e. Maloney. Hit by pitched ball, McCall, Cullinan, e. Umpire, "Billy" Anns. Time 2h. Attendance 300.

Punchard 8; Haverhill High 4.

The Punchard nine added another to their string of victories by defeating Haverhill high yesterday afternoon on the home grounds by the score of 8 to 4. Stewart pitched a good game for the locals, besides fielding his position well. Wright covered first in excellent shape. Haverhill tried three pitchers all of whom were rather unsteady.

The summary:

PUNCHARD.					
Soutar, ss.	4	0	1	0	2
Donovan, 2b.	4	0	1	0	0
Abbott, lf.	4	1	0	0	0
Hardy, c.	4	0	1	5	2
Clark, 3b.	4	0	0	2	1
Stewart, p.	1	3	0	2	6
G. Abbott, cf.	4	2	1	1	5
Wright, 1b.	3	0	1	0	0
Thompson, rf.	0	0	1	0	0
Foster, rf.	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	30	8	4	27	12

HAVERHILL HIGH.

HAVERHILL HIGH.					
McCarthy, cf.	5	0	0	0	0
Carroll, c.	3	2	1	6	2
H. Whittemore lf.	4	0	0	0	0
Follinsbee, ss.	3	1	1	3	1
Foster, 2b.	4	0	1	1	1
Hill, 1b.	4	0	0	1	1
Murphy, 3b.	4	0	0	1	1
Rogers, rf.	4	0	1	0	1
Sone	4	1	0	2	4
Roscoe	4	1	0	2	4
Harris	4	1	0	2	4
Totals	35	4	5	24	11

Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Punchard 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Haverhill 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 — 4

Stolen bases, Punchard 13; Haverhill High 11. Two base hits, Wright, Carroll, Hill, Rogers Double play, Roscoe to Hill. Base on balls, by Stewart; by Stone, Roscoe 2, Harris 3. Hit by pitched ball, G. Abbott, Foster, Follinsbee. Struck out, by Stewart 4, by Stone, by Roscoe 2, by Harris 3. Passed balls, Hardy, Wild pitch, Stewart. Umpire, W. Morrissey.

Punchard defeated P. A. '08 ball nine Wednesday afternoon 4 to 0.

The summary:

PUNCHARD.					
Soutar, p.	2	1	0	0	1
Donovan, 3b.	3	0	0	2	4
A. Abbott, lf.	3	0	1	1	0
Hardy, c.	3	2	1	4	2
Clark, 1b.	2	0	1	2	0
Stewart, ss.	3	0	0	8	1
G. Abbott, cf.	3	0	1	1	0
Wright, 1b.	1	2	0	8	0
Thompson, rf.	3	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	5	4	21	7

P. A. '08.

P. A. '08.					
Sullivan, c.	4	0	1	1	3
Quigley, p.	4	0	1	1	2
Overall, 1b.	4	0	3	7	1
Jones, 2b.	3	0	1	1	3
Blodgett, 3b.	3	0	1	1	0
Pearall, rf.	2	0	0	0	0
Morse, cf.	3	0	0	0	0
Pollock, lf.	3	0	0	0	0
Reed, ss.	2	0	0	1	2
Totals	28	0	7	18	8

Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Punchard 1 0 1 1 1 1 x — 5

P. A. '08. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 — 0

Struck out—By Quigley 7; by Soutar 5. Bases on balls—By Soutar: by Quigley 4. Passed ball, Sullivan. Stolen bases, Soutar 2, Donovan, Hardy 3, Clark, Stewart 2, Wright 5. Time—1h. 30m. Umpire—Bird.

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The Seminary.

We have not been unmindful of the newspaper comment upon the possible removal of Andover Seminary from its long time location on Andover hill to some university centre like Cambridge or New Haven. The papers of the past week have contained new suggestions along such a line, and the Transcript of Wednesday published a long editorial comment based upon the assumption that the move was really determined.

From the best possible authority the Townsman is in a position to state that there is absolutely nothing settled regarding this important matter. The Boston Journal of this morning quotes Pres. Day as follows:

"The situation seems to be that a vote was passed by the Trustees of the Andover Theological Seminary looking toward the removal of the seminary from Andover in the near future, provided satisfactory arrangements could be made to develop its work more effectively elsewhere. The subject, however, is still under serious discussion, and the final solution as to the precise disposition of the seminary is not yet in sight."

There is little doubt but that influential factors connected with the Andover institutions desire the removal of the Seminary from Andover hill, but men no less influential are just as urgent in their belief that there is a great future for this seminary in the place where it has been established nearly a hundred years.

Plan Approved at Last.

The how and the wherewithal are settled, and there seems to be no reason why the actual work of building Main street should be delayed very long.

The plan certainly looks to be a good one and if the culverts are kept clean there would seem to be no good reason for any further trouble from Main street water. The opinions of Mr. DeCourcy did much to clear the air regarding different objections that have been raised, but there seems to still be some unanswered questions about "natural watercourses," that only a court at law could clear up.

Supt. Lovejoy's assurance that the macadam work can be done for \$4000, promises an economically built street, while the sample piece which he has constructed on the top of the hill gives equal assurance that the road will be a good one. While the work of rebuilding the easterly side is going on, the officials in charge should see to it that the sidewalk and gutter at several points between Pynchard avenue and Morton street, are brought a little closer together. There are places where it is almost dangerous to drive across the sidewalk from yard to road, and the time to fix them is "right now."

There will be some regret that all the money for macadamized roads is to be spent upon only two sections this year, but no one will deny the importance of the pieces of road chosen for this favor. Nor will hardly any deny the wisdom of keeping the figures down where they are in the total footing for Andover highways. The reaction from excessive department appropriations is so sure it should not be too severely tempted. With Main street actually out of the way there is a chance near at hand for other important highways which need attention just as soon as the town can afford it.

Editorial Cinders.

In the death of N. J. Bartlett the book buyers of New England have lost a friend. He knew not only books but the men who wanted books, and he introduced one to the other with the result that he made many book buyers, genuine book lovers.

Spring is certainly here. The open cars appeared this week, and the painters are very busy. No better signs could be desired.

Essex County is growing. The County commissioners are to have their salaries increased.

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## SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETS

Elects Its Portion of the Pynchard Teaching Force and Transacts Other Business.

The regular monthly meeting of the school committee was held in the committee room at the Town house, for the last time in the old room, last Monday evening. On Saturday the committee will move its and the superintendent's effects into Carter's block, Main street, while the Town house repairs are going on.

At the meeting of the board various matters of importance were brought up and considerable business transacted. It was decided that a 75-foot flag pole be erected on the school grounds on Bartlett street to serve for the three buildings, and that a large flag be secured for use there.

Miss Bessie P. Goldsmith was employed as a special teacher to give instructions in sewing and cooking.

Alexander Dick, William L. Frye and Elmer Shattuck were appointed as tryout officers.

The committee surrendered to the selectmen the control of the Scotland school house site, as there was a question as to jurisdiction, and it is now in the selectmen's hands to clean up the premises and remove rubbish.

The portion of the teaching force to be selected by the school committee for Pynchard high was appointed as follows: F. O. Baldwin, re-elected on the part of the school committee as principal and teacher of Classics and Modern Languages.

Miss Jean S. Pond, teacher of History, Classics and Modern Languages.

Miss Mary E. Carter, teacher of English Literature and Composition.

The teaching force at Pynchard this year will be increased by three teachers. Miss Carter, one of the new teachers, is the daughter of Mrs. Ruby A. Carter, Salem street. She has been teaching in the Brewster Free Academy, at Wolfboro, N. H.

The list of teachers in the grammar schools was not completed at last Monday's meeting.

Superintendent Corwin F. Palmer was unanimously re-elected to have charge of the town schools for the coming year.

Andover Home for Aged a Possibility.

A feeble old man was recently heard inquiring the way to the Andover Home for Aged People. He might have been told that it was still in the checkbooks, pockets and hearts of the good people of the town. It is sure to come, though in time. Contributions are already coming in, and though the capital is not yet numbered by thousands a good start has been made, fifty thousand dollars being the aim however. The books will not be closed for several days yet.

At the meeting of the board of managers, held on Tuesday evening, at the house of the president, Mr. J. W. Barnard, a committee of ways and means was appointed to solicit funds. A very desirable house having been offered at a reduced rate, makes the promoters of this most worthy charity eager to avail themselves of this opportunity.

L. E. M.

Address by Rev. D. W. Waldron.

The public are cordially invited to attend a lecture by Rev. D. W. Waldron, of the City Missionary society of Boston, Thursday evening, May 15, at 7.30 in Bartlett Chapel.

The subject of the lecture will be "Glimpses of Progress in the Nineteenth Century as illustrated in the history of the Boston City Missionary society, with an Outlook Message for the Twentieth Century." Mr. Waldron has had a rich experience in city missionary work and is well qualified to speak on this most interesting theme. He comes under the auspices of the Seminary Society of Inquiry.

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ABBOTT VILLAGE.

The bust of Burns recently presented to the local Burns club was given by Miss Hagar of Waltham.

The Burns club wishes to thank those who helped in any way to make their 'Ladies' night' a success.

James Falconer, the pigeon fancier, sailed for Scotland Wednesday on the Dominion line, S. S. New England. He will return in the fall.

FRYE VILLAGE.

Mrs. Richard Dodson sailed for England Wednesday on the Dominion line steamship New England, in company with her sister, Mrs. Frank Garside, of Manchester, N. H., and her two children. They will be absent about three months.

The Riding academy is doing considerable business this spring.

A fence has been erected in front of the uncompleted baths in Frye Village centre.

WEST PARISH.

Rev. J. H. Yeoman of the Tewksbury Grange, gave a pleasant and interesting talk on "Everybody's John," at the Grange last Tuesday night.

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The object of the school is to furnish instruction to such boys as find it necessary for various reasons to resort to summer tutoring to prepare for the college entrance examinations in September. All but one of the same teaching force as last year will return, while the force has also been increased.

The faculty will be: Thomas C. Eady, Ph. D., professor of mathematics, University of Rochester, Rochester, N. Y.; George Jacobus, M. A., instructor in Greek and Latin, St. Paul's school, Garden City, L. I.; Emerson A. Kimball, Ph. D., instructor in modern languages, The Hill School, Pottstown, Pa.; Abraham R. Brubacher, B. A., instructor in Greek, Yale University, New Haven, Conn.; Archibald Freeman, M. A., instructor in history, Phillips academy, Andover, Mass.; John D. Warnock, Ph. D., instructor in Latin and mathematics, The Hill School, Pottstown, Pa.; Alfred E. Stearns, instructor and registrar, Phillips academy, Andover, Mass.

Alfred E. Stearns and Archibald Freeman have charge of arrangements this year as they did last.

## Mothers' Club Meetings.

On Friday afternoon, May 2, the Andover Mothers' club held its regular meeting. A large number were present, who listened attentively to the Rev. Fr. O'Mahoney, who had kindly consented to address the club.

Altho' Fr. O'Mahoney said he was unused to addressing an audience on other than religious subjects, and felt a little out of place, he nevertheless gave his hearers strong advice on a Christian mother's duty to her child, which if followed could not fail to make the coming generation good and useful citizens.

After the address tea was served by Mrs. Hardy and Mrs. Walsh.

The monthly meeting of the Mother's club was held last Tuesday afternoon in the Indian Ridge kindergarten room.

A special invitation had been extended to the Andover Mother's club, many of whom responded by attending.

As the guests arrived they were received by the teachers of the kindergarten, Miss Prevost and Miss Jackson, and by the committee. At half past three the president, Miss Prevost in a few well chosen words, introduced the speaker, Miss Mary, Alice Abbott, who had kindly consented to give readings of Poems of Childhood, which were greatly appreciated.

Two piano solos were delightfully rendered by Miss Josephine Clark of Lynn. A social time followed during which tea and cake were served by the committee. That everybody enjoyed themselves could not be doubted after a glance into the room where sociability held sway.

The committee for the afternoon was: Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Robb, Mrs. Dick, Mrs. Kydd and Mrs. McDonald.

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Services of an appropriately simple character, such as would have been desired by Mr. Bartlett, were conducted at his late home Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock by Rev. F. R. Shipman of the South church, of which Mr. Bartlett was a regular attendant. Many beautiful floral tributes testified to the regard of friends and relatives. The bereaved were his son and son-in-law from Wakefield, Nathaniel E. Bartlett and Arthur G. Walton, William Chase of Boston, and a nephew, F. A. Brooks of Worcester. Prayers at the grave were conducted by Rev. Mr. Shipman. Burial was in the South cemetery.

Besides his wife, Mr. Bartlett is survived by his son, Nathaniel E., and daughter, Mrs. Arthur G. Walton, both of Wakefield, and by a sister, Mrs. Brooks of Worcester.

### Body in Merrimack.

The body found in the Merrimack river last Friday afternoon was removed to Messer's undertaking rooms and was identified as that of James Letrim of Lowell, a man about 35 years of age who disappeared April 13. There seems to be no doubt about the identification as Letrim left his boarding place clad only in underclothing and the body was similarly clothed. The remains were viewed by the medical examiner Saturday. It is understood that Letrim had no relatives and unless the body is claimed soon it will be buried in town. For the present the remains have been placed in the tomb at Spring Grove cemetery.

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## PROBLEM SOLVED

Voters Decide That Main Street Shall Be Drained and Macadamized.

The adjourned town meeting was held on Monday evening of this week with a small attendance, when the matter of Main street improvement, which had been held in abeyance for a week, again came up for consideration. The matter had been discussed rather fully at the previous meeting and the question had been held open mainly that the legality of the town's entering private lands to change the size of natural water courses or remove obstructions therefrom might be ascertained by the selectmen through consultation with the town counsel, C. A. DeCourcy.

George H. Poor, Esq., as moderator, opened the meeting and read the article in the warrant which was to be considered. Selectman E. Frank Smith stated that since last week the selectmen with town counsel had examined the so-called natural water courses and had a survey made by the town engineer. He said that the L. & R. Railroad had started work on the east side of Main street, putting in a paved gutter and catch basins. He said that the town counsel was present at the request of the board.

Judge Poor explained that Mr. DeCourcy would answer any questions bearing on the subject which might be asked by the citizens desiring information. John L. Smith wanted to know whether the town or the abuttor would have to bear the expense of enlarging a natural water course and keeping it free from obstruction.

Mr. DeCourcy supposed the question uppermost was to see whether the town had a right to use these natural water courses or not. He said that he had been over the ground and should judge from what was open of the courses in question that they were natural water courses. He questioned the town's right to enlarge such streams but said it was the duty of the town to keep natural water courses clear. He said he was not sure that the town could enter private lands to get at the streams of this nature but thought that in case of obstructions they might enter to remove them provided there was no way of doing so otherwise. He did not think the abuttor has any right to cover a natural course, or restrain by draining, narrowing its banks or by putting in drains and the town could order such buildings or obstructions removed.

The question was asked by E. K. Jenkins if abuttors could empty sewage into the brook and Mr. DeCourcy replied that the town had nothing to do with that as long as no nuisance was created. The primary use of the brooks is to remove surface water.

It seemed to be a matter of some doubt with Col. George Ripley as to getting at the brook running through his property without going on private land, as there is a stretch of nearly 3000 feet between School and Phillips streets, through private lands.

The moderator suggested that there was no motion before the meeting and Peter D. Smith moved that the town adopt the plan as laid out by the state highway commissioners.

In answer to Col. Ripley's statement that it would be impossible to get at the brook between School and Phillips streets without going on private land, Mr. DeCourcy said that he meant by his statement that the town only had the right to go on private land when absolutely necessary.

Quoting Mr. DeCourcy's statement that the town might remove buildings which obstruct natural water courses, John N. Cole said he should doubt the town's power to do so. Citing the case of the brook's running through his land on Locke street, he spoke of the way it had been diverted and spread out in former years by Squire Hazen for the purpose of irrigating his garden and made the point that it would be very difficult to determine where the original bed of the brook was located. He asked what was to hinder him from turning the water back on his neighbors as then he might simply be turning it back into its old bed.

H. S. Robinson inquired if the question before the house was simply on the water courses, in the plan as submitted by the state commissioners or on the acceptance of the plan as a whole. The moderator informed him that it was upon the question as a whole without any suggestion of a sum for carrying out the plan. Mr. Robinson then moved as an amendment that the town consider only that part of the plan relating to surface drainage. The reasons he gave for this amendment were that it seemed unwise to appropriate \$3000 or \$4000 to grade the western side of Main street because of the small size of the gathering. He did not believe in appropriating money at special town meetings and hoped that the town would do nothing at present.

John L. Smith differed with Mr. Robinson in this particular. He hoped the plan would be accepted, especially now that the town has the co-operation of the street railway in putting in a paved gutter and catch basins on the easterly side of Main street. It will be necessary to make provisions for caring for the water brought down and collected in

these basins, so the wiser plan would be to do it while the railway is ready to do the work or otherwise have the road all torn to pieces by the water not taken care of.

J. Tyler Kimball wanted to know if the selectmen or highway surveyor had any proposition to make as to the expense of putting the brooks in proper condition to care for the water which was to be sent through them. He mentioned the manner in which the catch basins fill up, allowing the water to run over them and down Locke street. He thought it would be well not to spend money for macadam on the west side of Main street unless the catch basins will care for the water.

Charles W. Clark suggested that the town had a right at any time to change the grades of certain streets so that considerably more water could be thrown into these water courses than the grade of the lands through which the brook ran would naturally allow them to care for and inquired of Mr. DeCourcy if he was not right.

"Yes and no," said Mr. DeCourcy. He then cited a case which went to show that grades might be changed so that a reasonable amount of water be turned into natural water courses but not an amount beyond their capacity.

John E. Smith, superintendent of the board of public works, said he thought that the citizens did not seem to understand the fact that according to the plan water was to be taken away from the brooks rather than added to them.

Mr. Clark thought the plan might be one that was all right for the present but he could see where it would not be in a few years more. It was sort of make shift policy for the town to accept and carry out this plan and he thought the town should look ahead and not have to spend a lot of money some time in the future. A better plan should be sought.

After stating that he liked to hear talk which advocated far sightedness, John L. Smith said that he believed the plan presented by the state highway commissioners a proper one and as good a one as could be devised. It would remedy the difficulty and answer all requirements, he thought.

Just exactly the scope and detail of the plan was sought by E. Kendall Jenkins who said that the plan should be shown, and information furnished as to catch basins, size, location, etc.

Col. Ripley desired to have the surveyor who had made a plan of the brook from School to Phillips streets tell what caused the obstructions to the flow of water. He said he for one did not want a lot more water coming through and wanted to know whether the town was going to keep the brook open or what it was going to do.

Superintendent Smith said that he had made the survey at the request of the selectmen and that it was not much obstructed. He spoke of the cave-in on Mrs. Blunt's land which had been fixed and said the brook should be a foot deeper at this point. The brook, he thought, was of ample capacity to accommodate all water except in an exceptionally heavy rainstorm. Below Mr. Ripley's the brook was narrowed by the walls having contracted. He said that the recent heavy rain storm was no criterion by which to judge the capacity of a brook as almost all are not able to care for such heavy storms without overflowing their banks. Mr. Smith stated that there was a serious obstruction to the brook at Dr. Leitch's, where the size of the brook had been reduced from a capacity of 18-12 in. square to that of a 10 in. pipe. On George W. Foster's land, also, through which it passed from Main street, it was somewhat contracted by passing through pipe. He spoke of the wash from the hill filling up the catch basins and running down Locke street, spoken of by Mr. Kimball. The farther the water falls the more velocity it attains and the water should be restrained before it attains the velocity hence the purpose of the catch basins.

J. Tyler Kimball explained the reason why the banks of the brook caved in on Mrs. Blunt's land and mentioned the question of the town's legal right to enter land of abuttors to clear out street wash and keep it open. He spoke of the building of a bridge below Col. Ripley's land which might interfere with the free flow of the brook.

Mr. DeCourcy stated that the town not only had a right but it was its duty to keep the bed of the brook clear. Francis H. Foster desired to know why the surveyor had not extended his survey below Phillips street and told of culverts on his land which now had all they could do to allow the passage of water and that more water would be likely to carry them away. John E. Smith again explained that there would be no more water but that it was to be cared for in a different way. The moderator then read the plans explaining the intention of the state highway commission.

David Shaw was interested in the wash from School street and wanted to know what provision had been made for it. The moderator asked what should be done with the question. E. K. Jenkins wanted to know more

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### Girls to Play Basketball.

The girls' basketball team of Punched high school will play against the Lowell high school girls team, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock on Punched grounds.

The following young ladies will constitute the team: Goal throwers—Left forward, Katherine Moynihan (Capt.); right forward, Maud Meador. Center—left center—Sallie Pratt; center, Harriett Abbott; right center, Doroth Logan. Defense—Left guard, Dorrice Downing; right guard, Lydia Clark. Substitute—Mary De Windt.

All are invited to attend. A collection will be taken to help pay the expenses.

### Card of Thanks.

The members of the Woman's Relief Corps wish to thank all those who assisted in any way, either by their gifts of time, money, food or by their attendance, in making the recent May breakfast a success.

### Play at Grange Hall.

The play "Among the Breakers," will be presented in Grange Hall, Thursday evening, May 15, for the benefit of the West Parish church union.

The cast of characters is as follows: The light keeper, Granville Cutler; "Mother Carey," Mrs. Charles Hardy; Bess Starbright, Miss Harriet Dodson; Mr. Bruce Hunter, John F. Knight; Clarence Hunter, Winthrop Boutwell; Peter Paragaph, John Noyes; "Scud," a colored man, Edward Burt; Miss Minnie Daze, Miss Lucia Burt; "Larry," an Irishman, Robert Watson; Biddy Bean, Miss Bessie Dodson. General admission, 25 cents.

### Unclaimed Letters.

Atkins, Chas. H. Austin, P. W. Barrum, G. W. Campbell, J. J. Green, E. W. Harlem, Morris Kimball, Henry T. Mead, Mrs. E. Palmer, A. B. Poweth, Howard Smith, A. B.

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At a session of the probate court held at Salem before Judge Harmon Monday wills were proved of: Sarah J. Burnham, Essex; Maria L. Chase, Lynn; Ellen Craig, Newburyport; George H. French, Salisbury; William McKay, Newburyport; Henry A. Putnam, Danvers; Jonathan Sargent, Andover, and Katherine A. Stokes, Methuen.

Administrations were granted on estates of: Elizabeth A. Boden, Salem; Harriet M. Brady, Epping, N. H.; Alice B. Call, Marblehead; Zephyren Carboneau, Lawrence; Jeremiah Carey, Salem; Addie M. Coffin, Lynn; John M. T. Currier, East Kingston, N. H.; Lewis W. Day, Danvers; John A. Going, Gloucester; Samuel A. Guilford, Lynn; Dennis F. Hurley, Concord, N. H.; Augustus Maxcy, Beverly; Frank Moreau, Salem; Angelo Petraglio, Haverhill; George B. Upton, Andover, and Abby C. Winn, Merrimack.

Inventories were filed of estates of: Asenath C. Abbott, Marblehead, \$161.75; Mary Ann Balch, Topsfield, \$847.50; Frances B. Beck, Beverly, \$228.66; Oscar W. Buzzell, Lynn, \$23,613.92; Mary Calhane, Haverhill, \$5609.79; Susan A. Chase, Lynn, \$5622; Mary Fowler, Amesbury, \$2983.78; Sarah F. Jones, Lawrence, \$2117.86; Elbridge G. Kemp, Lynn, \$1920; Michael S. Low, Essex, \$1702.05; Samuel Newman, Peabody, \$15,194.14; Harriet C. Pray, Merrimack, \$1950; Michael Shepard, Salem, \$3941.67; Sarah R. Weed, Merrimack, \$3947.53; Mary J. Whitney, Beverly, \$5313.

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May 2	34	62	May 2	44	66
" 3	48	53	" 3	50	58
" 4	38	60	" 4	44	68
" 5	52	53	" 5	50	64
" 6	38	62	" 6	48	64
" 7	46	78	" 7	50	74
" 8	46	70	" 8	52	70

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## Special Town Meeting

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about the plans, asking about the catch basins. Selectman Smith said according to the plan there would be two at Chapel avenue, two at Wheeler street, two half way to Morton, two at Morton, two near George W. Foster's, and three at Locke street, two on the east and one on the west. They were to be six feet deep, and four feet inside diameter.

J. Tyler Kimball asked if the Chapel avenue water was not turned down Bartlett street now but finally ran into Roger's brook just the same and Superintendent Smith said this was so.

The amendment in regard to surface drainage alone was then put to a vote and was lost but the original motion was carried.

The question of appropriation to carry out plan was next in order. Selectman Smith stated that \$2000 for drainage and \$3000 for macadam was thought to be ample.

Charles W. Clark wanted to know how the sum suggested by Selectman Smith compared with the sum recommended by the state highway commissioners and Mr. Smith explained that the sums were less for drainage because the east side is being cared for by the street railroad and less for macadam because there is already some macadam on the ground and as money was appropriated for macadam at last town meeting, so that the highway surveyor thinks \$4000 will be sufficient.

John N. Cole asked why an appropriation of \$3000 more was desired when \$4000 was to be had from the last town meeting, as \$2000 was appropriated, and over \$2000 was coming in for macadam from the proceeds of street sprinkling and street railways. He did not see why \$3000 more was necessary.

Selectman B. F. Smith said he did not know except that it was to be used in macadamizing in other parts of the town.

Mr. Cole moved that \$2000 be appropriated for drainage and \$1000 for macadamizing. The town couldn't afford to spend more money for further macadamizing this year.

The moderator read the vote of the last town meeting which appropriated \$2000 for macadamizing, together with the amount received from street sprinkling and street railways, and said it was not exactly known what this amount would be but Mr. Cole said that it would be over \$2000 according to Selectman Smith's statement and that it would be larger than last year from the street railway as there was more trackage.

Peter D. Smith moved as an amendment that the amount appropriated for drainage and macadam be \$5000. He thought the town could expend the money wisely by macadamizing the streets.

Mr. Cole said the town could not afford to expend any more money on the streets than was absolutely necessary. Already \$17,000 had been appropriated, (and he enumerated the amounts for the various highway departments) so that if the \$2000 more be appropriated the amount would be nearly \$20,000. He said he wanted to see good streets as well as anybody, but did not want the town to spend more money than it could afford to.

The moderator thought the previous speaker had made a mistake in counting the highway surveyor's salary of \$1000 in with the estimate of the amount to be expended this year for highways, suggesting that his salary came out of the appropriation for town officers, but Mr. Cole said he could not see how it could be charged to any other expense than to the highway department, wherever it was placed in appropriation.

Charles W. Clark asked how much it would cost to macadamize the westerly side of Main street. Mr. Lovejoy thought he could do it for \$4000 and had so informed the selectmen, altho' then he did know that they wanted him to put in a three foot paved gutter also. After some urging from Mr. Clark who asked him "Are you satisfied with the macadamizing of the easterly side of Main street?" Mr. Lovejoy, who first wished to refer Mr. Clark to the selectmen, under whose direction this side was built, said emphatically, "No sir, I am not," adding after a moment, "Mr. Goldsmith showed me a letter last year which he got from Mr. Pillsbury of the state highway commission in which the latter said, 'I have carefully gone over the easterly side of Main street from Elm square to the top of Andover hill, and I am sorry to tell you that not one foot of it is right.'"

The question of the amendment, calling for an appropriation of \$5000 was then put and lost and Mr. Cole's motion for \$3000 was carried, by a two thirds vote.

Upon a motion by John E. Smith it was voted that the town treasurer be authorized to borrow the amount required for this purpose, under the direction of the selectmen, issuing a note for \$3000 with interest at 4 per cent, payable in one year.

The meeting then adjourned.

## LOWELL GETS FIREMEN'S MUSTER.

BOSTON, May 6.—The New England veteran firemen's league yesterday afternoon voted to hold the annual tournament at Lowell on Thursday of Old Home week, the last week in July. The league meeting was held yesterday afternoon, and only Lowell put in a bid for the event.

Three associations were admitted. The Chicopee Veteran Firemen's association, Holyoke Veteran Firemen's association and the Stoughton Veteran Firemen's association, making 74 associations in the league.

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## VACATION SCHOOL BENEFITS

Interesting Paper Delivered by Director  
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Following is the very interesting paper on the "Vacation School" which was read at the recent meeting of the Master's club by Edward P. Sherburne, of Boston, director of Vacation schools:

It is a strange notion of our day, as conservators of the youths of our city, that leads us for three-quarters of the year to be apparently so solicitous of their moral welfare and then, just at the season when temptation is strongest, when the children most need guidance and protection, to close the doors of our school houses, and casting aside all care for their well-being, turn them loose, to become familiar with the crime and filth of the streets and alleys, and to lose what faithful teachers amid many discouragements have striven so hard to implant.

Let us honestly ask ourselves the question: Is our duty so far fulfilled, that after nine months' nurture and training be it ever so careful and conscientious we can consign the children to the streets with but little of parental supervision in many cases, and with none at all, so far as a considerable part of our population is concerned?

If it is necessary for the welfare of the state that children shall be cared for nine months in the year does not the same logic make them the wards of the educational authorities the whole year; else is not the true purpose of our common schools quite overlooked. Under present conditions, with the crime and filth of the streets and alleys begins a period of danger to the morals of the children.

In the compact part of the city—in the tenement districts, the children are without playthings, or legitimate pastime, beyond what the street affords—and the street affords little that is not evil.

Parks and play grounds are in most cases too distant for them to use, and even were they at the doors, it is a question if they would know how to use them.

It is a fact that the children of today do not know how to play. This state of things is not confined to the tenement district. Henry Ward Beecher once said that his children could not get as much pleasure out of forty dollars' worth of playthings as he did from a stick and a string. The consequence of idleness is a menace to our city, since it demoralizes and degrades our growing citizens.

All, presumably, agree that the prevention of crime can be best accomplished by the care of the juvenile. If the first encounter with the police can be prevented, then there will be no crime, while if the first step is taken, the second is very easy, and a tendency to crime is soon established. It is in this direction of prevention that the "Vacation School," together with what it implies, is of greatest usefulness. The last of June in every year should be a respite from all our children's respite from all our work and discipline.

The old saying, that the Evil One finds occupation for idle hands, is most true and while for all workers, the idea of a vacation is to be approved, yet it solves upon some one to provide instruction for the children, to give them, if we would stem the tide of increasing misdemeanor among the young.

I believe that a scheme of vacation schools carried out to its full extent will result in a great saving to our city in the use of useful lives and better citizenship.

I believe that the child whose pleasures as well as tasks are considered by a municipality, throughout the year, will have a kinder heart, a greater respect for and a higher understanding of the mutual obligations of citizens and state.

When we care for the children of Boston we are caring for its future. If by anything we can do we make our young people better, then we insure the bettering of our citizenship, the uplifting of our city, but if we neglect our children, we are neglecting our future.

It is for us to make them law-abiding and self-respecting or the reverse. It is a momentous responsibility; for what they are the city will be. Fully developed, this conception of our duty thinks of the school as more than an institution of elementary instruction, thinks of it rather as the city training ground of the community, the centre of its social and intellectual activity, the instrument of all instruments shaping the welfare of the state.

At the present time, the idea finds its expression in free lecture courses, municipal concerts, Boys' and Girls' clubs, circulating libraries, evening schools, and vacation schools.

The report of the committee on Boston's Vacation schools renders it unnecessary for me to discuss the beginnings of municipal vacation schools so far as our own city is concerned.

I may say this, nevertheless, of the private schools. Like many another important movement, their inception was spasmodic and not invariably successful.

However, nearly twenty years ago several public spirited ladies moved to action by what is patent to every one today, namely, the lack of care children experience during the long summer vacation; instituted what is known today as the South End Industrial school.

It was in the beginning a vacation school, pure and simple, established to relieve tired mothers, and to furnish a place of refuge from the crime and moral filth of the streets, while the doors of the public schools were closed.

With the exception of one or two years this "House of Refuge" has been open ever since. Its character is somewhat changed but the vacation department under Hale House management, did good work last summer among the boys and girls living in its vicinity.

From this school in Roxbury have sprung many private vacation schools, and all are doing their full share in the amelioration of the condition of those unfortunate whose parents cannot afford two months or more at the seashore, in Maine, or among the mountains of New Hampshire.

The Civic League also maintained several schools last year. One in the Dwight district was a model in its way and had those, who are inclined to be pessimistic regarding the value of such schools, spent an hour a day there for a week each, during that most, if not all of their objections, would have vanished.

An undertaking, conceived by ex-Mayor Quincy, with which I had something to do was unique. I refer to the summer camp for boys and were this the place where I the time, it would be a pleasure to speak of the good actually accomplished in those brief outings.

I quote from Mr. Quincy's report. He says: "Outside of the original cost of establishing the camp, as many as five hundred boys at a time could be kept in camp for a week each, during a season of ten weeks, at the low cost of \$1.23 per capita."

The mayor had hoped his project would be adopted by the school committee and so he goes on to say that "The camp is to be regarded merely as an extension of the system of public instruction and as affording an opportunity for giving a different kind of training—but one no less valuable perhaps—from that which is given in the school-room."

An organized course of summer instruction and training both mental and physical given to five hundred boys at a time could be made both interesting and valuable.

The important place, which summer instruction of the right character, can occupy in a system of education is fully recognized in connection with higher studies.

I believe that the time will soon come when the same idea will be applied in the field of elementary education, and when it will be recognized that the community cannot afford to allow the effect of instruction and training given at immense expense and effort during the school term, to be even partially lost through their complete absence during the long summer vacation."

The present administration did not think it good politics to follow in the footsteps of the former mayor in this matter, neither did the school committee see fit to adopt his recommendation, exactly, but they did take a long step forward.

At a meeting of the school board, May 22, 1900, Mr. Anderson, of the committee on Rules and Regulations, offered the following order. That a special committee be appointed with authority to establish vacation schools during the summer vacation. The recommendation was adopted and a committee appointed.

This committee after several meetings decided to establish three schools; one in Roxbury in the Dearborn district, one in the West End in the Bowdoin district, and one in East Boston in the Lyman district.

These schools, as I understood it, were to be considered an experiment, and the teachers were informed that the success or failure of the schools must depend entirely upon their individual efforts.

They, one and all, appreciated the situation and the measure of success that was achieved is due entirely to the enthusiasm and self-sacrifice of the class teachers, who were inspired by the encouraging words and ready sympathy of Miss Arnold, our supervisor.

The school in Roxbury is composed entirely of Kindergarten and Primary children, that in the Bowdoin district of Grammar school children, and the one in East Boston of all grades from the Kindergarten to the seventh inclusive.

The course of instruction was similar in all the schools, although in the Roxbury school there were no special teachers of sewing, cooking or wood work.

No text-books were used and although a few worn out and antiquated geographies with a score or more of deplorable readers were provided for each school, they were of no possible use in a vacation school and were at the end of the term in at least a good condition as when they came to us.

Every teacher kept a diary. In this she recorded day by day what she hoped to accomplish, and day by day she also recorded the measure of her success and how far she fell short of her hopes.

The curriculum consisted of nature study, color work, drawing, music, physical culture, wood working, cardboard, construction, sewing and cooking.

The ideal manner to study nature would have been to take the children to the park, or the Fens, the Arboretum or the seashore.

In a few instances this was done by the class teachers, they defraying most of the expense, but regular excursions were prevented by lack of funds, so teachers made trips to the country or the seashore and came back laden with plants and flowers, shells and seashells.

This material formed the basis for lessons in drawing, nature study, and color work.

Of course in the color work while the artistic side was dwelt upon a little, the realistic was uppermost in the minds of the teachers.

In the lessons in music, the object was to establish better vocal habits through breathing exercises. This was not all, for the children were encouraged to sing during their sewing lessons, not the doggerel of the dime museums, but the old fashioned home songs which many of us learned at our mother's knee.

The gymnastic exercises were in charge of the principals and were confined to a few fundamental exercises.

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Before the schools were opened the director of manual training had met the instructors in that branch and decided upon a course in wood-working, which was faithfully carried out.

About 90 per cent of the boys who took this kind of manual training had never handled tools before.

In the sewing classes girls were not only taught so much of the regulation school course as time admitted but were also encouraged to bring garments from home to mend, or darn under the supervision of the teacher.

In one school a beginning was made in teaching a class of boys to handle the needle. I am sorry now that more was not attempted in this direction, for I can see no reason why boys should be excluded from the sewing and cooking lessons, but many reasons why they should receive, at least, some instruction.

The teachers of the cooking classes held conferences frequently and pursued nearly the same course.

In the drawing and painting, Davis schools was also instituted a course in housekeeping where children were taught the art of bed-making, dusting and sweeping.

In one school also cards of the Board of Health were distributed and children were instructed what to do in cases of painting heat and sun strokes apparent drowning, etc.

The pupils provided most of the paraphernalia of the bath room, even the real, live, squirming babies.

Another feature of the schools was the reading room. Several hundred volumes of suitable books were sent to each school by the trustees of the public library and were a source of never failing interest.

The last week of the term each school had a public day and although the visits of parents had been frequent during the term they eagerly accepted the invitation to come again and see the work their children had done during those sweltering hot days of July and August, and incidentally, of course, to partake of their hospitality.

In the schools where cooking teachers were employed a dining table was placed in one of the rooms and many visitors partook of the dainty luncheons prepared and served by the little hostesses.

It was the pride of the teachers to show how well these girls were being taught to enter and leave a room, to acknowledge an introduction, to forget themselves in the comfort of their guests; to be in fact little home-makers.

This was only one of the many evidences of what training, education and good example can do, and also of the fact that most children need but to be surrounded by refinement to be refined. I have but faintly outlined the work of the Boston Vacation Schools.

Not only were the children kept from the evils of the streets but the positive and measurable results were many.

They learned that resourcefulness of occupation in many ways, which is in itself a safeguard against the attacks of the demon of idleness.

They were brought nearer to the condition of the ideal country boy, from whom our great men are supposed to come, but whom we firmly believe to be hidden in our city lads and ready to come forth for service if only given half a chance.

From the children themselves, comes the testimony, "It's the best thing we ever had."

From the parents have come many letters, almost pathetically thanking us for caring for the children and for relieving them from the usual anxieties of the summer.

But the chief results, it is unnecessary to say, are not definitely measurable.

Who can say just what those six weeks of loving work and care meant in the cramped lives of those children. It is not my province to plan the future of the vacation schools in Boston. Time alone can determine their possibilities, although they are indicated in the report of the committee.

I do believe that the time is not far distant when our school houses and their grounds will not be waste and desert places two or three months in the year. When portions of our parks will be reserved for school purposes during the summer months. When our swimming places will be furnished with competent instructors, and for certain days in the week will be directly controlled by the school authorities for the benefit of the school children.

It is unnecessary for me to say that I fully agree with the boys—Vacation Schools are the best thing the city furnishes the children, and I am glad that the success last year was so marked that steps have already been taken to continue and extend the work during the coming summer.

We as principals and teachers in Boston's schools have it in our power to increase the value of these special schools many fold.

The children appeal to us to save them from the temptations and perils of the streets. The city asks that we accept the trust.

Next summer, as in past summers, while you are strolling in leafy shades or wandering at will through country lanes, sweet with the fragrant breath of the pines, or inhaling with gratitude the pure ozone of the hill-tops, the children against whom the schoolhouse doors are closed, are panting in reeking alleys or sweltering on the blistering brick pavement, and the only thing to distract their attention from their misery will be the patrol wagon or a bar-room brawl.

Biliousness is a condition characterized by a disturbance of the digestive organs. The stomach is debilitated, the liver torpid, the bowels constipated. There is a loathing of food, pains in the bowels, dizziness, coated tongue and vomiting, first of the undigested food and then of bile. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets allay the disturbances of the stomach and create a healthy appetite. They also tone up the liver to a healthy action and regulate the bowels. Try them and you are certain to be much pleased with the result. For sale by all druggists.

## LAWRENCE SAVINGS BANK.

The annual meeting of the Lawrence Savings bank was held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. The old board of directors with the addition of C. H. Hartwell and J. A. Perkins was elected. R. H. Tewksbury was chosen president and Daniel Saunders, H. G. Herrick and Joseph S. Howe were elected vice presidents. The new board of directors are A. E. Mack, Louis G. Holt, John R. Kitchin, G. R. Haberle, A. I. Couch, J. A. Perkins, C. H. Hartwell, W. T. McAlpine, R. H. Tewksbury, Daniel Saunders, H. G. Herrick and J. S. Howe. Albert I. Couch was elected clerk of the corporation.

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# North Andover News.

Fred Smith of South Groveland was in town Sunday.

Mr. Dan Crowther of Whittier's court was in Boston and vicinity, Saturday.

James Kelley of Lowell was the guest of Mr. Thomas Morrissey of Main street Sunday.

An account of the trouble at the Centre will be found in the police court news of Lawrence.

Mr. Fred L. Sargent, the expressman, has been confined to his home on Glenville street by illness.

Mr. J. M. Bruns of Canton passed Friday, Saturday and Sunday as a guest at Lone Oak Farm.

Communion service was conducted by Rev. E. E. Ayers Sunday morning at the close of the services.

William Nelson and Bert Nelson were in town Saturday and Sunday. They are now living at Portsmouth, N. H.

The board of stewards of the Methodist church meet at the parsonage on next Saturday evening to complete the financial plans of the year.

Henry R. Smith of Main street and Charles Butterworth and John Preston of High street visited among friends in Winchester, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Downes of South Lawrence formerly of High street are rejoicing over the arrival of a son; which made its appearance the first part of last week.

There was a special communion service at the Congregational church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when Rev. Henry E. Barnes administered the communion of the Lord's supper.

At the close of the next Sunday morning services at the Congregational church which will be shorter than usual, the pastor will have an important communication to present to the church.

The different officers of the police force have been assigned to their beats and a list of the officers and their hours of patrol have been posted in the station house by Chief of Police Marvin.

The subject of the Epworth League Juniors meeting on next Wednesday afternoon will be "Moses, the leader of Israel—the Follower of God." Gen. 33:15. The leader of the meeting will be Miss Beatrice Glover.

Miss Jeanette W. Kimball formerly of this town has lately won first prize of \$10 in an art competition. Miss Kimball's design which was that of a punch bowl is to be reproduced in the May issue of the "Keramic Studio," a magazine devoted to china painting.

A man arrested Saturday night on Pleasant street by Officer George L. Leighton, appeared in police court this morning at 7 o'clock before Trial Justice Newton P. Frye on the charge of drunkenness and disturbance. He was fined \$1 for drunkenness and \$1 for disturbance. He paid both fines.

Mr. and Mrs. James Eldridge and daughters Emily and Ethel are visiting at the home of Mr. Arthur Lake on Union street. Mr. Eldridge and his family are to shortly take up their residence on Marblehead street. Mr. Eldridge is employed at the Boston & Northern power house on Merrimack street.

Professor Barker of the Boston University will speak on the morning of the 25th of this month at the Congregational church. He is professor of sociology at the university. He is a representative of the United States Anti-Saloon League. In the evening there will be union meeting at the Methodist church where Prof. Barker will be the principal speaker.

A quiet wedding took place at the Congregational parsonage Tuesday evening. The contracting parties were Miss Anna M. Tucker for many years a teacher in the public schools of this town and Edwin W. Moody, the well known cream and milk dispenser. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Henry E. Barnes of the Congregational church. They were united in marriage shortly after eight o'clock. Only the contracting parties together with the officiating clergyman were present. The ceremony was kept as quiet as possible few of their friends being aware of the union.

The 15th annual supper and entertainment of the Congregational church society will be held in the church vestry on Thursday evening, May 13th for all above the age of 16 years who make the church their regular worshiping place. Social hour in the auditorium at 6 o'clock. Supper will be served at 7 o'clock by the social committee of the church who have the affair in charge. The Arlington quartet of Haverhill will furnish music. Rev. P. E. Davis, D. D. of Boston will be the guest and speaker of the evening. The invitation is to come early. A collection will be taken at the service next Sunday morning to defray the expenses of the supper.

S. D. Hinckman made a business trip to Merrimack Monday.

David Mackie of Sutton street visited with relatives in Groveland over Sunday.

Michael King and family of May street have moved to Portland street, Lawrence.

Many persons from town witnessed the Andover-Harvard baseball game in Andover Monday afternoon.

William Sutton with his family has returned from Salem and is occupying his summer home, "Birch Lodge."

John Roberts of Sargent street and Mollie Brightman of Sutton street made a trip to Boston by wheel Sunday.

Fred Fielding is moving with his family from Brierley's block on Sutton street to Lowell. Gile is doing the moving.

The Monday Night club held a very interesting meeting at the home of Albert Barrington on Union street Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bamford of Riverview street are rejoicing over the arrival of a girl which arrived a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wheeler of Lowell passed Sunday in town as guests at the residence of Charles Hinckman on Belmont street.

Miss Olive Crosby of Boston is very ill and Mrs. Well of Main street is attendant at her bedside. Miss Crosby is well known in town.

John P. Murphy the druggist, of Postoffice square was in Boston on business Tuesday.

A number of popular young men of the town are to conduct a private dancing party in the Grange hall at the Centre on the evening of the 16th of May.

Dr. George Fuller formerly of this town was thrown from his team Tuesday in Lawrence while turning the corner at Tremont street and Broadway. The horse was retained under his control and no damage was done except a bad shaking up for the doctor.

Praise services were held at the almshouse last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Charles Cleo. Twelve members of the Methodist church were present and enjoyed the services very much.

Officer George L. Harris has been re-appointed the local agent of the Society for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals. Officer Harris has held this position for upwards of twenty consecutive years, much to his credit.

Survivors are at work making lines for the new Andover and Haverhill street railways in the vicinity of the French estate. The trees on the left of the road are to be set back beyond the touch of the wires of the new road and it is for this transplanting that the survivors are preparing for.

Those of the Johnson High school class of 1902 who are to have the valedictory and the salutatory essays were chosen on Monday. Wilmar Hawthorne was chosen as valedictorian, a part which his merits of the last four years deserve. Miss Theresa Connolly has been chosen as salutatorian.

A council on the dismissal of Rev. D. P. Hatch of the South Lawrence Congregational church will be held in the South Lawrence Congregational church on next Monday afternoon. Rev. Hatch has resigned his pastorate because of sickness in his family. Rev. Henry E. Barnes of the local church will be in attendance together with one candidate.

Patrick Donovan of Maple Avenue was seized with a shock Tuesday. He was at work in the cellar and while his wife was out in the yard he made his way up stairs and upon her floor he found him in a heap upon the floor unconscious. Medical attendance was immediately summoned and Mr. Donovan was made as comfortable as possible. It was over an hour before he recovered consciousness. The doctor announced that he had experienced a shock. Last night he was resting very comfortably.

"The Journal-Transcript" of Franklin Falls, N. H., contains an article on the re-dedication of St. Paul's church of that place and the triennial visit of Bishop Dennis M. Bradley. The issue also contains a cut of the church, of its exterior and interior and also a fine likeness of Rev. A. J. Tinnon of the parish. Rev. Mr. Tinnon is a cousin of John J. O'Brien of Cleveland and is well known locally. At the re-dedication he was the celebrant of high mass, and delivered an eloquent sermon. Rev. Mr. Tinnon is a graduate of Ottawa college and Loyola seminary of Quebec. He came to take charge of St. Paul's parish in 1889. The church after being remodelled and additions made is a handsome structure both inside and from the exterior.

HE IS A WONDER.

All who see Mr. C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Iowa, as he is now, cheerful, erect, vigorous, without an ache, could hardly believe he is the same man, who, a short time ago, had to sit in a chair, propped up by cushions, suffering intensely from an aching back, in agony if he tried to stoop—all caused by chronic kidney trouble, that no medicine helped till he used Electric Bitters and was wholly cured by three bottles. Positively cures Backache, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, all Kidney troubles. Only 50c at Bliss's drug store.

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Edward Sargent has accepted a position with Fred Sargent, the expressman.

Miss Lovefree of Lowell is a guest at the residence of James Driver on Osgood street.

Miss Elizabeth Stormont of Everett is a guest at the residence of George Josslyn on Main street.

James Bamford of Riverview street made the trip to Boston with John Roberts Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Gay is very much improved at the home of her parents on Belmont street. She is now able to be out.

Frank Fields with his family is moving from Lang's block on Main street to Reeve's tenement on Marblehead street.

The drain gutter on Sutton street is being relaid and moved nearer the middle of the street. The sidewalk is to be made on the outside of the shade trees.

The Osgood mill was shut down Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The cotton gin in the driving pulley in the dressing room broke off necessitating the stopping of the mill for the afternoon.

The general meeting of the 100th session of the association of Congregational churches of Massachusetts will be held at Plymouth, May 20th. Rev. Henry E. Barnes will attend from the local church together with one delegate.

The Rescue lodge, I. O. G. T., installed their elected officers on last Tuesday evening at their regular meeting. During the evening Miss Clara Hayes was presented with a pretty comb, a watch and set of jewelry.

The installation of the new officers of the lodge followed the presentation of the gifts. The installing staff consisted of Lodge Deputy William Boodle of Haverhill with Mrs. Myra K. Spens deputy marshal, William Grey assisted. The officers installed were: Chief templar, Frank Manchester; vice templar, Miss Almira Lang; secretary, Mrs. William Bentley; financial secretary, William Little; marshal, G. Fenderson; superintendent of juvenile temple, Mrs. William Bentley. The appointed officers are: Chaplin, Miss Margaret Sanford; deputy marshal, Miss Clara Hayes; guard, Miss Annie Roberts; sentinel, Rollin Lang. Those in charge of refreshments were Albert Knowles, assisted by Miss Nellie Kershaw and Ernest Bamford.

The contribution for the recent May Bazaar and the Lawrence city hall by North Andover parties at usual large. The itemized account of contributions is as follows: Eatables, 30 pies, 20 loaves of cake, 5 dozen doughnuts, 30 pounds cooked meat, 1 box of oranges, 1 bunch of bananas, pickles and jelly, Donnelly table, 4 aprons. Fancy table, 30 articles. Candy table, 17-12 pounds of candy. Cash solicited by committee, (less expenses) \$59.20

Cash from sale of tickets, 24.50

Cash from sale of stockings, 12.00

Cash from cake, etc., sold, 1.80

Cash from flower table collected by Miss Thompson, 10.00

Total amount collected, \$107.50

The young people's musical club held a very pleasant meeting at the home of Miss Gertrude Brown on Beverly street Thursday evening. Two new members were admitted. The next meeting will be held on May 15, at the home of Walter Wrigley on Stonington street. The program offered was as follows:

(a) Mazurka. Jennie Rex-row

(b) Waltz. Gertrude Brown

(c) Song I Sang One Sunday Morn. R. Bremmen and E. Ellison

Piano solo, Blanche E. Hanson

Vocal solo, Walter Wrigley

Cast Thy Burden, (From Elijah). Eddie Kelly

Piano solo, R. A. King

Vocal solo, Charles Shackleton

My Old Westchester Home Among the Maples. Mattie Jones

Piano solo, Victor Dextorcar

Theme of Weigl. C. Danda

Piano solo, Lilla Hamilton

Vocal solo, Augusta Meyer

A Boy's Best Friend is His Mother. J. P. Shelly

Piano solo, Sila Johnson

Quick March. Kohler

Piano solo, Helen Costello

Visions of Paradise. August Pachar

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Innings.....1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

S. H.....2 3 0 1 2 0 1—11

B. S.....0 0 0 0 0 2 3 0—5

Two base hits, Clements, Hargraves, Bolton, Grady, Lowe, Watson. Three-base hit, Newhall. Stolen bases, McKenna, Grady, Cogan, Hayward, Reynolds, Watson, Smith, Curley.

Struck out, by Watson 7; by Curley 10. Base on balls, by Watson; by Curley 3. Passed ball, Bolton. Time—2hr. 10min. Umpires—Dale and Woolley.

The Aetnas play the North Andovers on next Saturday afternoon.

The Merrimack Grammar school baseball team will play a team at Ward Hall a week from next Saturday.

The Waverly Parks defeated the Centrals on the Waverly park grounds by a score of 23 to 22 Saturday afternoon.

The Blue Stockings expect to play the Red Stockings next Saturday upon Grogan's grounds as the game with the King Dodos has been cancelled.

The North Andovers defeated the Aetnas on Grogan's grounds last Saturday afternoon by a score of 14 to 3. The umpires of the game were Bert Duchesney and Lawrence Murphy. The lineup of the teams was as follows:

North Andover—Capt. Kershaw, p; Curley, cf; Kirk, 1b; B. Wrigley 2b; Donovan, 3b; Lloyd, ss; W. Wrigley and Houghton, rf; Stirling, cf; Johnson, lf; Kelley, manager. Aetnas—Capt. King, p; Wilcox, c; Day, 1b; Gillespie 2b; Gile, 3b; Taylor, ss; Lord, rf; Green, manager and cf; Morrissey, lf.

The Centre Grammar school defeated the team from the Merrimack Grammar school last Sunday afternoon on the Centre common by a score of 14 to 13. The game was witnessed by a large crowd who enjoyed the game very much and who were not from beginning to end. The umpires of the game were John Davis and Joseph Reardon. The number of strike outs by Barrington were 15 and those by McEvoy were 8. The line up of the Merrimacks was Josselyn c, Barrington p, Stiles 1b, Grady 2b, Hambley 3b, McCarthy ss, Broadhead rf, Shackleton cf, and Tilton lf. Centre Grammar team, Casey c, McEvoy p, Halliwell 1b, Driscoll 2b, McEvoy 3b, Lawlor ss, Shannahan cf, Driver rf, and Mackie lf.

TUSKEGEE NIGHT.

Tuskegee Night was observed at the Congregational church Sunday evening. The affair was in charge of the Christian Endeavor society of the church. The auditorium of the church was filled and the collection for the benefit of the student which the Endeavor is supporting at the Tuskegee Institute in the South, was large. A delegation of entertainers were present from a colored church of Haverhill who gave some very fine choruses.

Mr. Grundy who was in charge of the guests from Haverhill delivered a very interesting and instructive address upon the work and the success of the Institution, established by Booker T. Washington in carrying out his life's work of elevating the ignorant people of his own race. Miss Grundy also read a paper upon the same subject. Rev. Henry E. Barnes delivered a short talk about the purpose of the meeting and asked for a sign of the appreciation of the evening's entertainment by the raising of the right hand. The program which was as follows was in charge of Mr. D. W. Carney: Singing, Praise ye the Lord; singing, My Lord's Writing all the Time; bass solo, Mr. Bailey; address, Mr. Grundy; singing, Turn Back Pharaoh's Army; paper, Miss Grundy; singing, The Church of God; singing, What Kind of Shoes?; singing, by request, "Swing Low Sweet Chariot."

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Social Events.

SURPRISE PARTY.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kirk, No. 41 Sutton street, was the scene of a very pleasant surprise party Saturday afternoon and evening. The recipient of the surprise was their daughter, Miss Alice Kirk who is an attendant at the Merrimack school and is very popular among his class mates. The party consisted of the classmates and near friends of Miss Kirk who proved herself a very admirable hostess. Miss Alice was very much taken aback in surprise when Miss Annie M. Pratt as spokesman for those assembled, presented her with a beautiful gold ring with a ruby and pearl setting. A very neat reply was given to the very pretty speech offered by Miss Pratt. Commencing at 2 o'clock the merriment continued until 7:30 in the evening. Games of different kinds were indulged in and musical selections were offered by different members of the company. During the evening a light course of refreshments were served by the hostess. The game of "Donkey" was among the most prominent of the game played. The winners of the first prizes were Miss Irene Wilcox and Miss Harriet Hadley. Those who secured the consolation prizes were Miss Jennie Thompson and Miss Mary Woodhouse.

Recitations were listened to from Miss Maud Cahill and duets by Miss Cahill and Miss Kirk were very much appreciated. Solos by Miss Bernice Person were very neatly rendered and all joined in singing. The school songs familiar to all the house rang with the sound of merry and happy voices. Those present were Misses Laura Jackson, Esther Greenwood, Lizzie Donovan, Annie M. Pratt, Bernice Person, Georgiana Sullivan, Harriet Hadley, Harriet Bixby, Lillian McPherson, Mary Woodhouse, Maud Cahill, Marion Fernald, Lila Johnson, Sarah Wrigley, Jennie Thompson, Irene Wilcox, Annie